

Neighborhood Watch

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Command Committee Kick Off

The South Jordan Public Safety Department is please to announce the beginning of our Neighborhood Watch Command Committee. After years of working with several different Neighborhood Watch groups, Officer R Meng has decided that it is time to shake the program up and bring the groups together.



Neighborhood Watch: Building bridges between the Community and the Police.

The Command Committee is comprised of a representative from each neighborhood. The Committee meets once every three months and works toward protecting our communities. The Committee members are then asked to pass along the information back to everyone in their neighborhood. They can do it in anyway that will work for them; newsletters, neighborhood meetings, phone calls, websites, etc.

Our goal is to make this a very fluid group that will adapt to the needs of our growing community. We are still lacking representatives for some of our neighborhoods, and are gladly accepting more participants. If your neighborhood does not have a representative please contact Officers M. Wright or R. Meng at 254-4708.

Neighborhood Command Committee

Representative	Neighborhood
Amy Allred	Ascot Downs
Julie Moore	Quail Run
Nancy Middleton	Beckstead Estates
Kathleen Warner	Midas Creek
Ashli Foresta	Midas Creek
Shirley Fiedler	Koradine Cove
Chantal Brown	Crescent Ridge
Ken Pypier	
Andrew Hackman	

*If you don't see a representative for your area, please contact us.

SOUTH JORDAN POLICE DEPARTMENT RECEIVES GRANT TO ENHANCE HOMELAND SECURITY PROGRAM

South Jordan, Utah - The South Jordan Police Department has received a grant of \$300,000 from the U.S. Department of Justice Office of Community Oriented Policing.

According to Officer Marc Wright, Homeland Security/Emergency Management Specialist with the South Jordan Public Safety Department, the police department is using the funds to enhance their Homeland Security Program. This includes dedi-

cating one officer full-time to the Homeland Security/Emergency Management Mission. Officer Wright was selected to fill this new position in the department.

"We recognize the importance of Homeland Security and Emergency Management to our community and will work closely with our local, county and state government, volunteer organizations and the citizens of our community to meet their needs," said Officer Wright.

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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- Law Enforcement Week
- July 7th Meeting @ 7 pm
- National Night Out Against Crime Aug 2
- Annual Neighborhood Watch Conference

*Together We Can
Make A Difference*



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In South Jordan City, we have taken an all-hazard approach with our Emergency Management Program. As such, Homeland Security is an integral part of our program. As it relates specifically to Homeland Security, our goal is to prevent, prepare for, respond to and recover from terrorist attacks. Our strategies include:

- **Assess vulnerabilities and determine potential impact;**
- **Detect, deter and mitigate threats to our community;**
- **Ensure all stakeholders are kept well informed about Homeland Security Issues;**
- **Engage local citizens to make them active partners in the Homeland Security Mission;**
- **Improve first responder and emergency services response capability;**
- **Provide community meetings focused on homeland security and citizen preparedness;**
- **Develop response plans and protocols; and**
- **Develop and implement a multi-agency (police, fire, public works) response concept and provide initial and on-going first responder and technical level training to response personnel.**

It is through these strategies as well as others that we hope to meet our established mission of "An Informed, Involved and Prepared Community". Please watch for additional information on what you can do to prepare yourself and your family as well as assist your community in meeting this mission.

For more information on our Homeland Security/Emergency Management Program contact Homeland Security Specialist Marc Wright at 254-4708 or mwright@sjc.utah.gov.

Monthly Crime Trend Report*

Crime	March '05	April '04	May '04	June '04	Total
Business Burg	1	0	0	1	2
Criminal Mischief	20	23	13	28	84
Homicide	0	0	0	0	0
Res. Burg.	8	4	9	10	31
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0
Theft	43	26	27	24	120
Vehicle Burg	33	5	6	15	59
Vehicle Theft	0	2	2	2	6
Total	105	60	57	80	302

*For more information please look at our report on the Web.